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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
**Marc Charbonneau**

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Examiner: **Parthasarathy, Pramila**

For: **Method and System for Detecting a Secure State of a Computer System**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111**

In response to the Final Official Action dated **June 28, 2005**, and in connection with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- ☒ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page                      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.